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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240
District II
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210
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1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410
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1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources

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Form C-141
Revised October 10, 2003

Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Dr.
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Submit 2 Copies to appropriate
District Office in accordance
with Rule 116 on back
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

OPERATOR

X Initial Report

Final Report

Name of Company Read & Stevens, Inc	Contact Will Palmer
Address PO Box 1719, Lovington, NM 88260	Telephone No. (575) 396-5391
Facility Name Scharb Com tank battery	Facility Type tank battery
Surface Owner Tim Carlin	Mineral Owner US Bureau of Land Management
Lease No. Fee	

LOCATION OF RELEASE AP# 30.025-25804-00-00

Unit Letter	Section	Township	Range	Feet from the	North/South Line	Feet from the	East/West Line	County
J	7	19S	35E	1980	South	1980	East	Lea

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release produced oil	Volume of Release ~4 bbls	Volume Recovered 0 bbls
Source of Release Tank battery was allowed to spill over top	Date and Hour of Occurrence Between 12.3.09 & 12.4.09	Date and Hour of Discovery 12.04.09 0800 hours
Was Immediate Notice Given? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> X Not Required	If YES, To Whom?	
By Whom?	Date and Hour	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes X No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.*

WATER @ 55'

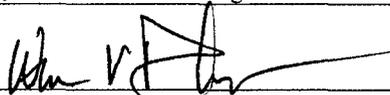
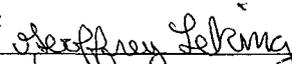
Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.*

Normal lease pumper involved in a vehicle accident with bodily injuries to family. Several days were spent in the hospital. During this stay, his lease was monitored by an individual who was not familiar with the operations. Subsequently, the oil storage tanks were allowed to fill and spill over the top. The normal pumper returned to work immediately.

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.*

The affected area is contained on the lease road and extending approximately 300' west of site. Initial remediation was not effective. The affected soil will be removed and taken to an OCD approved land farm. Surface soil samples will be taken and checked for hydrocarbon contamination. Fresh topsoil will be obtained from the landowner, hauled in, and contoured over the area.

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOCD rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOCD marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOCD acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: 	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION	
Printed Name: William V. Palmer	ENV. ENGINEER: Approved by District Supervisor: 	
Title: Superintendent	Approval Date: 12/31/09	Expiration Date: 03/04/10
E-mail Address: wpalmer@read-stevens.com	Conditions of Approval: DELINEATE TO CLEAN + 1. SUBMIT FINAL C-141 BY 03/04/10. NOTE:	Attached <input type="checkbox"/>
Date: December 15, 2009 Phone: 505.396.5391	IRP-09-12-2375	

* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary

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SPILL GUIDANCE REQUIRES SAMPLING FOR CHLORIDES IN ADDITION TO HYDROCARBONS.